

man capital" transmitted by the Exchange Telegraph's correspondent at London. The republican guards tried several times to take the royal palaces and the headquarters of the revolting soldiers, but were repulsed.







## ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Dr. R. R. Stoner spent a few days last week in Calgary on business.

Christmas passed off quietly but most enjoyable here.

**ROOMS TO RENT**—In private home centrally located. Apply to Mrs. R. Auger, First street.

H. W. Harper, manager of the Royal bank here, has been appointed a commissioner for cattle.

Mr. A. S. Savill, of the Redcliff hotel, is spending the Xmas holidays with friends in and around Calgary.

Died at Redcliff, Dec. 19th, 1918, William Francis, the twin son of John and Elizabeth Jackson, age 6 months.

Since the signing of the armistice 15,000 men and women have been thrown out of employment in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cross and family of Medicine Hat, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fairbairn.

The portion of the regulation prohibiting the feeding of wheat to livestock has been rescinded by the minister of agriculture.

The shoe manufacturers of Canada have organized themselves into an association. It is to be hoped this does not mean another advance in shoe prices.

Calgary appears to be passing through another bad stage of the influenza epidemic. Monday morning's paper reported 82 new cases and six deaths in 36 hours.

The Stoner Agency here have a number of fine calendars ready for distribution among townspeople and farmers of the district. Call and get one before they are all gone.

Rev. H. C. B. Gibson is working up his music these days by digging his garden. Digging a garden on the 26th of December might be a novelty in some of our sister provinces, but here in Sunny Southern Alberta it is a common thing.

The government has decided to establish a war museum wherein war trophies, historical paintings, and other objects of interest relating to the participation of Canada in the war may be suitably preserved and displayed.

**SEED WHEAT**—I have a quantity of choice Marquis seed wheat for sale. Free from oxides seed cost. Price two dollars and twenty-five cents (\$2.25) per bushel. Cleaned. Call at Review office to see sample. E. W. Pannas, Bowell, Alberta.

While it might be quite natural on account of the ideal weather we have been having here, there appears to be no truck in the report that a family from Manitoba, ticketed through to California, got off the train at Redcliff thinking they had reached Los Angeles.

Only two patients are now left in the school and as both are suffering from pneumonia, it is not thought advisable to remove them at present. However if they make sufficient progress it is hoped they will be in condition to move early next week. If this is possible it is the intention of the school board to get the school in shape to resume studies as soon as possible. Under present conditions, however, this cannot be done before Jan. 6th.

The Review wishes its readers a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Benjamin Clancy of Brooks district was among the victims in the fire in a C. P. R. tourist car last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Rutherford and son William spent Christmas day in town the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Rutherford.

It appears that the attempt of Jimmy Hole and others in Medicine Hat to recall Alderman Marshall has failed on a technicality.

**ESTRAYED**—Onto property of undersigned, one yearling steer, all red and branded V on left hip. Owner may get same by paying expenses. T. Irwin, Bowell, Alta.

The installation of the newly elected officers of the Masonic lodge will be held in the lodge room next Monday evening. D. D. G. M. Bell, of Medicine Hat, will officiate.

Keep in mind the dance in Reid's Hall Friday night of this week. This is under the auspices of the Welfare League in connection with the G. W. Y. A. and should be well attended.

Sixteen hundred Canadians, who have been prisoners in Germany, have now reached England. This number is about half of those taken by the enemy.

Earl Fairbairn, who has been training in the aviation school at Toronto returned to his home here last Sunday and will remain for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sturges and family left this week for Vancouver where they will reside in future. Mrs. Sturges leaves this week end for her old home in England.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Woodcock, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hodges, Mr. F. F. Woodcock and son Bruce, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. A. McColman, north of town.

Miss Clarinda Clare, who has been teaching at Foremost, is spending the Christmas holidays at her home here. Miss Anna Long, also of Foremost, accompanied her and will spend the vacation here.

Canadian headquarters states that British Columbia troops will go home via the Panama canal. Several thousand soldiers will therefore reach home without rail travel across Canada.

The local branch of the Red Cross is in receipt of \$19.00 from the Bowell auxiliary this week. This auxiliary is doing excellent work since its inception and its members are deserving of great praise for the interest they are taking in the work.

The Red Cross acknowledge with thanks the regular donation of \$640.40 from the employees of the Rolling Mills here. The same plant also contributed \$215.46 to the Y. M. C. A. fund. This donation covers the period from Oct. 1st to Dec. 31st. It is a handsome donation and speaks volumes for the patriotism and liberality of the employees of this institution.

Pte. James Waters, who has recently returned from the front, has learned since coming home that several friends had sent him parcels and letters while he was on active service. Although there were many of them he did not receive he wishes to thank all those for their kindness in remembering him. Some idea of the trouble soldiers experience in getting mail may be seen from the fact that he just before sailing for Canada Mr. Waters received a letter written a year ago.

Brooks is building a new skating and curling rink this winter.

**STORE FOR RENT**—Situated on Broadway and in good condition. Possession given first of year. Apply to B. J. Grove.

Two farmers who had exposed insurance met for sale on the Medicine Hat market were fined \$20.00 and costs this week.

Pte. E. S. Erickson, of Alderton, who has been training at Pettawawa, Ont., stopped off here this week on his way home.

W. T. Lockwood left last Sunday morning for the south where he will spend the Christmas vacation with friends.

## CHURCH NOTICES

**CHURCH OF ENGLAND.**  
Friday, St. John's day—Evening, 7.45. Full choir practice at 8.10. Saturday—Holy Innocent's day.

Sunday—Holy communion at 8 o'clock; matins at 11; Sunday school at 12.15; evening 7.30.

Tuesday—Sunday school Christmas tree in Reid's Hall at 5 p. m. Watch night service at 11.30.

Wednesday—New Year's day. Holy communion at 8 a. m.

Thursday—W. A.

After evening on Sunday Christmas carols will be sung.

**THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
Divine worship at 11 forenoon and at half past seven evening. Forenoon subject: "The March of Life."

Evening sermon: "The Past Year and the Coming Era."

Tuesday evening, watch night service at a quarter past eleven o'clock.

**CATHOLIC CHURCH.**

Further notice services will be held in Crow's hall on the second and fourth Sundays of each month.

**CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN.**  
In Crow's Hall.

Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching at 11.

Evening—Christmas workers T. p. m.; preaching 7.30. All invited.

David Hallinger, pastor.

## No Peace Conference

## Now Till February

The preliminary peace conference at Versailles has been postponed until the beginning until the beginning of February at the earliest, says Michael Huttin, editor of the Echo de Paris. This postponement is due, he says, to change in plans because of President Wilson's visit to England and reconstruction of the British cabinet, which will occupy Premier Lloyd George as soon as the result of the elections is announced on December 28. Preliminary exchanges, which were to begin in Paris last Saturday, according to original plans, have also been deferred.

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THE HICKS TRADING CO.

## Ontario Farmers Want Reciprocity

Reciprocal fees trade with the United States in everything from a dollar in the demand of the United Farmers of Ontario. They will not be satisfied now with the reciprocal agreement of 1911, which affected national products only, but want the tariff bars swept away on all manufactured articles as well, if the United States will do the same.

Ashid tremendous cheering they passed a resolution to that effect at their convention in the labor temple, Toronto, last week, and free trade with the United States is to be one of the biggest planks in the Ontario farmers' platform.

"No longer will the organized farmers of Ontario be accused of being behind their western brethren," says the report.

## CHRISTMAS 1918

The President, Directors and Officers of

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